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BUY WAR BONDS NOW!

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DAILY WEATHER REPORT
Partly cloudy this afternoon. Fair
and colder tonight and Saturday.

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FIGHT STILL RAGING AGAINST JAPS' MAIN BASE OF TRUK, SAYS REPORT RADIOED BY THE ENEMY

Powerful United States Naval Armada Operating Under
The Cover of "Several Hundred"
Carrier-Based Planes

LONDON, Feb. 18.—(INS)—Official Japanese broadcasts from Tokyo today reported American landings in the Truk Islands of the Caroline group, principal outlying defenses guarding the enemy's homeland.

For reasons of military secrecy, there was no confirmation from the U. S. Navy that troops had been landed from a tremendous task force dispatched to Truk.

But hour by hour, enemy broadcasts from Tokyo intimated clearly that men had been put ashore, saying Japanese troops are engaging "strong motorized forces" at undesignated spots in the sprawling island group.

A powerful United States naval armada, operating under cover of "several hundred" carrier-based planes, thrilled the world today with a smashing attack against the Japs' main base of Truk and the enemy reported that the fight was still raging.

Quickly following up the knock-out blow dealt the Marshall Islands through conquest of the strategic Kwajalein atoll, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz sent his warships and aircraft against the almost mythical Nipponese stronghold in the Caroline Islands. Truk, known as the "Pearl Harbor" of the enemy, had been closed to foreigners for the last six years and, as a result, little was known of its supposedly-impregnable defenses.

A sortie by two Marine Corps Liberators 12 days ago provided reconnaissance photographs, showing installations and as many as 25 warships and aircraft carriers in Truk Harbor. So the American armada boldly steamed to the attack.

The attack began at dawn Wednesday. That a large force probably was involved was seen in the reference to "several hundred" planes taking part.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Applications for marriage licenses have been made by the following:
Salvatore Bucca, 52, 43 Yard avenue, Trenton, N. J., and Frances Manzo, 47, 1106 Beaver street, Bristol.

Robert S. Maerz, 23, Fox Chase, and Ethel M. Olson, 19, Langhorne. William Mantzby, Jr., 22, Doylestown, R. D., and Elizabeth Jackson, 22, Washington, D. C.

Albert T. Pingitof, 28, 754 Center street, Trenton, N. J., and Jennie L. Valentino, 21, 201 Reservoir street, Trenton, N. J.

Henry Marrone, 21, 208 New Brook street, Bristol, and Carmella Conengo, 22, 211 New Brook street, Bristol.

William R. Atkinson, 25, Hilltown township, and Esther Krupp, 21, Souderton.

THE POLLARD FUNERAL

Funeral of George E. Pollard, who died suddenly at his home yesterday morning, will be conducted from his late residence, 335 Barry Place, Monday, at two p. m. Interment in St. Mark's Cemetery will be in charge of the W. I. Murphy Estate, funeral directors. Friends may call Sunday evening.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.,
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 43 F.
Minimum 39 F.
Range 13 F.

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday 39
9 33
10 36
11 40
12 noon 42
1 p. m. 42
2 43
3 42
4 42
5 41
6 41
7 40
8 40
9 40
10 41
11 40
12 midnight 39
1 a. m. today 39
2 38
3 42
4 41
5 42
6 42
7 42
8 43

P. C. Relative Humidity 84
Precipitation (inches) 2

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ... 11.11 a. m.; 11.36 p. m.
Low water ... 5.40 a. m.; 6.23 p. m.

Morrisville Students Stage A "Treasure Hunt"

MORRISVILLE, Feb. 18.—This morning a "treasure hunt" to collect war stamp books was staged by the two ninth grades of Morrisville schools.

The pupils visited homes in the borough endeavoring to collect the needed amounts from holders of war stamp books to fill the books. Then arrangements were made to convert such into bonds.

The students gave receipts, teachers accompanying them and supervising the work.

Bishop McClellan Pays Visit and Confirms 18

The Rt. Rev. William McClellan, bishop of Eastern Maryland, confirmed a class of 18 in St. James' Episcopal Church last evening. Bishop McClellan is assisting the Rt. Rev. Oliver J. Hart, bishop of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, this month.

An impressive address was delivered to the class and others in attendance by the guest, and the rector, the Rev. George E. Boswell, officiated at the service. Special music by the choir included an anthem, "Go Not Far From Me."

Those confirmed: Mrs. Parke Wetherill, Mrs. William Groff; the Misses Jean Townsend, Katherine Burger, Mary Robinson, Ann Marie Ingram, Miriam Luckhardt, "Betty" Jane Foster; Messrs. David Bailey, John T. Bailey, Harry L. Goheen, Jr., Paul Edward Perkins, William H. Foltz, Richard Vandegrift, Lewis P. Hellings, Earl E. Craft, Frank Plum, and Albert Charles Lynn.

RRS ON MONDAY

Arrangements are made for the funeral of Mrs. Anna D. Jones (nee Allen), wife of Milton Jones, for Monday, at two p. m., from the funeral home of Robert C. Ruchel, 314 Cedar street. Burial will be in Bristol Cemetery and friends may call Sunday evening.

FIRE CO. NO. 6

Any member of Bristol Volunteer Fire Co., No. 6, who has not received tickets to sell for the minstrel show and dance, is asked to contact Vernon Werline, 187 McKinley street, phone 467.

TELLS EXCHANGE CLUB HOW TOBACCO IS CURED

E. G. Beinhardt Explains The Methods of Cultivation and Crop Harvesting

CHAS. BOYD PRESIDES

The Bristol Exchange Club met last evening in the Elks Home. Vice-President Charles F. Boyd presided. Andrew MacArthur led the group in singing.

The Exchangeites were informed that one of their members in the armed service in England, James S. Douglas, had recently been promoted to captain.

The speaker of the evening, E. G. Beinhardt, of the Eastern Regional Research Laboratories, located at Wynmoor was introduced by Edward Fleming.

Mr. Beinhardt, an expert on tobacco, spoke to the club on methods of curing and manufacture of tobacco. He explained the methods of cultivation and harvesting of the tobacco crop and gave special attention to the methods used in curing the tobacco leaf.

The curing process is done in barns where the temperature is raised to 80 or 85 degrees Fahrenheit. Air curing, another method requiring exposure to sun and storage in barns was then explained. The third method, fire curing with special types of wood, is probably the oldest method.

The different types of tobacco leaf such as Burley, Green River, Maryland and Turkish, were shown to the members and their special uses and qualities were explained. In cigarette production glycerine was used exclusively to retain the proper moisture but the demand for glycerine in the war industries has greatly curtailed its use. The

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Was She Surprised?

(By "The Stroller")
Taxi cab drivers get all kinds of things handed to them for money as patrons rush from their cabs to their destinations. One told me the other day that he has been given tokens, buttons, and etc.

The other day, however, he was taken by surprise when a well-known woman resident of Bristol tried to pay him for his services by handing him a key to her house.

"What's this?" he inquired. "Oh! Did I give you that key?" was the exclamation of surprise on the part of the woman.

Coal Conveyor Topples Over; Injures C. Payne

Clifford Payne, of Market street, was injured this week at the yard of Montgomery Fuel Co.

Mr. Payne, a local barber, is said to have gone to the company's yard for a bag of coal. As he awaited his order a coal conveyor toppled over and struck him.

A physician was called, and treated him for laceration of the scalp, bruises of the chest and shock. Mr. Payne was then removed to his home.

RIVALRY SHOWN IN SCRAP PAPER DRIVE

Bristol School Pupils Work Like Beavers To Aid War Effort

GATHER MANY TONS

The scrap is on! The "friendly scrap" between classes and public schools of Bristol borough, each trying to out-do the other in the scrap paper drive.

To say the girls and boys are enthusiastic is putting it mildly. They are working like beavers every spare minute, collecting and carting papers previous to school opening in the morning; making use of their study periods at times, and of free periods granted some groups for this purpose. Then after school they set to work with a will—all eager to get every piece of scrap paper available into channels to aid the war effort.

So carefully are they "covering" the town that one boy who called at a business place saying "Do you have any scrap paper? It's for the government" received the reply that he was the 10th "government man" to make that same request there that morning.

Express wagons, motor trucks, passenger cars, bicycles—all are utilized in carting the papers to the various school buildings, there to be stored in the basements. And every morning and noon pupils can be seen trudging to school carrying in their arms bundles of paper. Teachers of some schools where there are smaller children suggested that the tots carry just a few pounds each time they go to school, two, three or five, according to their capacity. And those pounds are quickly mounting into tons.

It is then the teachers go into action, sorting, wrapping and approximating the weight, with the aid of older boys and girls.

The work is entirely voluntary but the volunteers number in the hundreds. The girls and boys are overly anxious to help their country as they know the paper and card-board are sorely needed. But it is competitive in that each class and each school is trying to out-do the other. And they'll win—by helping to win the war.

Approximately 20 to 25 tons of scrap are now in the Bristol high school building. About five tons were removed on Wednesday, the same amount yesterday; and today the dealers are expected to bring bigger trucks.

Not only individual pupils and teachers are aiding, but two high school organizations, the Student Council and the Booster Club, are most enthusiastic and of great aid.

Pull participants as to tonnage collected during this particular drive are expected to be available shortly.

The plan of school officials is to make the collections periodic, possibly at intervals of two to three weeks.

Residents of Bristol are urged to save their old newspapers, keep them flat, and collections will be made by students during the course of various drives this school term.

Get in the scrap!

PFC. THERON HOWELL SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Word Sent by Navy Dep't To Marine's Parents Here

IN SERVICE 15 MONTHS

PFC Theron Lloyd Howell, of the U. S. Marine Corps, has been seriously wounded in the back, according to advices received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan H. Howell, 326 Dorrance street. The message came from the U. S. Navy Department.

PFC Howell is now in the Naval Hospital, Navy 10, c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Cal., the Howell family is advised.

The young man, who has been in the marine corps since November 25, 1942, has recently been stationed in the Marshall Islands.

A graduate of Bristol high school, he is 20 years of age.

WOUNDED MAN IMPROVES

Mrs. Donald H. Goff, of West Circle, has received letters from her husband, 1st Lt. Goff, stating that he is improving nicely from serious injuries received in Italy. He is still hospitalized. Lt. Goff, who had been previously wounded at Kasserine Pass, North Africa, was awarded the Purple Heart and has since received two oak leaf clusters. Mrs. Goff is a member of the faculty of Bristol high school. The officer is a graduate of University of Pennsylvania pre-medical school, Philadelphia.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEAINED BY SCRIBES

Two hundred members of the Loyal Republican Club of Bucks county on Monday night braved the "meanest night" in years to witness the Perkasie Minstrels at the monthly meeting of the club at their headquarters in Buckingham. Business was carried over until the March meeting but time was taken out to welcome 15 new members.

The Doylestown High School seniors will make the usual spring pilgrimage to New York City instead of to Washington, D. C., according to plans now being made.

At the request of the class the school board gave approval to such a trip, which, according to Superintending Principal Leonard Halderman, will be made in the middle of the week and not include Saturday as heretofore. Preliminary figures indicate that the trip will cost each student approximately \$27.

TULLYTOWN

James Sibbitt, Trenton, N. J., was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Carlen.

Mrs. LeRoy Lovett is critically ill at her home.

Mrs. Howard Mitchell, Jr., was a Tuesday visitor of her father, in Philadelphia.

Miss June Fish, Trenton, N. J., and Seaman "Buddy" Schumaker, Portland, were Tuesday visitors of Miss Christine Johnson.

Set Merle Baehner, California, is spending a furlough with his wife, Mrs. Olive Baehner, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Baehner.

Mrs. Erwin Baker and infant son have returned home from Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J. The baby has been named Russell George.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Grade Crossing Work Delayed

Harrisburg—Completion of the grade crossing over State Highway Route No. 150 in Bristol was delayed today by order of the Public Utility Commission upon a request from the State Highways Department.

The project, which was scheduled for completion Dec. 31, 1943, did not have the approval of the Federal Public Roads Administration, the Highways Department said, and work cannot be resumed during the war. The new date for completing operations was set for Dec. 31, 1945.

Enemy Positions at Anzio Bombarded for Sixth Night

Algiers—Heavy RAF bombers kept up the sixth night of a round-the-clock bombardment of enemy positions at the Anzio beachhead below Rome. Allied headquarters announced today.

Medium craft bombed Nazi shipping and installations along the west coast of Italy, and raided targets on the Tyrrhenian sea coast northwest of Rome.

Nazi Efforts to Dislodge Allies at Beachhead Fail

Algiers—Repeated German efforts to dislodge Allied forces from their positions on the embattled Anzio beachhead below Rome have failed, headquarters announced today, with tough American and British troops beating off one heavy enemy attack after another.

Red Army Legions Drive Forward

Moscow—Red Army legions in the far north, spurred by news of the slaying or capture of 3,000 Nazi troops in the Dnieper bend pocket to the southward, drove forward today in a massive new thrust which threatened to isolate the German garrison at Pskov.

Ninth Anniversary Is Marked by Croydon Girl

CROYDON, Feb. 18.—A birthday party was given at the home of Mary Fried on Saturday in honor of her ninth birthday anniversary. The room and table were decorated in red, white and blue.

Refreshments were served to the following: "Betty" Scott, Rachel Locklear, Alma Marshall, "Peggy" Franz, Mary Maurer, Eva Fried and Violet Kaganich.

Game prizes were awarded to Rachel Locklear, Eva Fried and Violet Kaganich.

Mary received many gifts.

YOUTH CENTER IS TO BECOME A REALITY

Sponsored by Bensalem P. T. A.; To Open March 1st; 3 Nights Weekly

ENTHUSIASM IS KEEN

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 18.—The proposed Youth Center for Bensalem Township is to become a reality, with such being definitely established by March 1st, and opening on that night in King Hall, Andalusia.

The Youth Center will operate there three nights weekly, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7.30 to 10 o'clock, and Saturdays from 7.30 to 10.30. A variety of games, shuffleboard, pool, ping-pong, dancing, and use of the library will be afforded. Last but not least there will be a refreshment bar.

The plans for the Youth Center were announced in full at the meeting of Cornwells Parent-Teacher Association in the Bensalem high school auditorium last evening, when C. Burnley White, president, asked for a report of the committee named during the past month. The committee had been named in compliance with a request made at the January meeting, the need for such a center believed to be great.

The committee members are: Melvin Mack and P. G. Mack, representing Bensalem Rotary Club; Mrs. Anna Harrison and Mrs. Merin Vitt, representing the parents; Miss Clara Withers and Axel Klein-sorg, representing the faculty of Bensalem schools; also the following ex-officio members, Elmer Vant, of the Rotary Club; A. Kurtz King, representing the schools; and Mr. White.

The committee, reporting last evening, stated that the most practical and best equipped center in the township in its opinion is King Hall. The vestry and the Church Foundation granted permission for establishing such a center there.

The center will be open to all youths of Bensalem Township between the ages of 12 and 18, and members may invite two visitors per year. The membership fee will be 25 cents annually. The young folks will be required to check in and out and after they once check out they will not be admitted again the same evening. Two chaperones will be present each night. The young people will practically provide their own entertainment, and plans work out a record player may be installed later.

The committee reported the cost to be estimated at \$500 from March 1st to June, and the P. T. A. voted to donate \$100 toward the project. The finance committee will arrange for securing the balance.

The young folks are reported as greatly interested in the project, and a poll taken as to what type of entertainment was most desired showed that 119 were interested in dancing, 91 choices were for shuffleboard, 61 for ping pong, and 40 desired to use the library as a place of study.

The committee named is to carry on until the center is completely established.

Earl Smith, of Andalusia, spoke of the possibility of organizing a choral society for the center at a later date.

The class taught by Miss Grace Paist won the attendance banner last evening. The P. T. A. voted to become a patron of the "Bensalemite," annual year book.

Mrs. John Diamond arranged the evening refreshment, a buffet lunch being served.

Music arranged by Miss Paist for the session included: "Love Nest" and "The Riff Song" by the brass quartet, "Betty" Bozarde, John Diamond, Penn Salmon, Jr., and "Jack" Kidd; piano solo, Rita Robbins.

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

PFC Frank Brown, U. S. Army Air Corps, recently sustained a broken finger when the wheel from an aeroplane on which he was working, fell on his hand. He is stationed at Sacramento, Cal.

Word has been received by their families that Pts. A. Alfred Rigby, Jr., and Harvey Minster are now stationed at Camp Blanding, Starke, Fla.

Read the church news every Friday and Saturday in the Courier.

Rotary Club Discusses New Real Estate Legislation

An open discussion on the proposed bill of the Real Estate Association, which would greatly reduce school taxes on real estate, featured the Rotary Club meeting at the Elks' Home yesterday afternoon.

President John O. Slemmer, in charge of the session at which members discussed many features of the proposed bill.

The bill, which would greatly reduce school taxes on real estate, would mean that other sources of revenue would have to be considered to finance the cost of the public school system in the Commonwealth. Many other sources of this revenue were considered by the members, with the sources being discussed from various angles.

Also highlighting the meeting yesterday was a special musical program featuring the Rotary Wreckers' Quartette. The quartette, Harry Watson, Hon. Jacob C. Schmidt, Louis B. Gilton and Emil Metzger, rendered two well-known numbers, "I Want A Girl," and "When I Grow Too Old To Dream."

Riegelsville Soldier Busy With Bombings

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 18.—Mrs. Anthony deSousa, a few days ago, received an interesting letter from her nephew, 1st Lt. John deSousa, Jr., formerly of Riegelsville, who has been in England ten months, stating that he has taken part in 18 missions over enemy territory.

A bombardier on a Flying Fortress, which he and his fellow-crew members named "Satan's Workshop," deSousa recently received his commission as first lieutenant. During one of the missions on which he has taken part, Lt. deSousa's bomber, "Yankee Butcher," was destroyed, and several members of the crew were injured. He escaped injury.

Lt. deSousa, who is 21 years old, enlisted in 1940, and received his training in Texas, from which place he was transferred to Washington, and then overseas.

The young man, who spent his boyhood in Riegelsville, was graduated from Easton high school, and for a short time before his enlistment attended Lafayette College, Easton. His father is a veteran of World War I.

BRISTOL ELKS ENDORSE WORK OF RED CROSS

Paul C. Voltz, Exalted Ruler, Urges Members to Aid War Fund Drive

MAKES STRONG PLEA

Paul C. Voltz, exalted ruler, announced today that Bristol Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, No. 970, is giving its full support to the effort of the American Red Cross in raising \$200,000,000 in March to carry on its great humanitarian services in behalf of this country all over the world.

"In the forthcoming local campaign for the American Red Cross," Mr. Voltz declared, "the Bristol Lodge of Elks pledges its individual members to stand solidly behind the campaign to raise our quota in this community. The Red Cross does not need to be 'sold' to us. It has demonstrated its worth in all of its services on behalf of the distressed.

"We have just received a letter signed jointly by Frank J. Loneragan, our grand exalted ruler, and James R. Nicholson, chairman of the Elks War Commission, reminding us of the importance of giving the Red Cross our usual support in helping to raise the two hundred million dollar fund.

"In their letters, Messrs. Loneragan and Nicholson point out that the Red Cross is the principal agency permitted to bring comfort and aid to Americans who are prisoners of war of the enemy and the only agency authorized to send our blood plasma to sustain the wounded and maimed, to provide rest homes and recreational centers for men and women overseas, to furnish surgical dressings for the men at the front, to relieve distress and make life a bit easier for our armed forces in the theatres of operation.

"As usual," Mr. Voltz said, "the Bristol Elks will do what is expected of them locally. The record of Elksdom in cooperation with the Red Cross," he added, "is a proud one. The subordinate lodges have contributed ambulances, hospital equipment and other material in addition to large funds. They have opened their club rooms as headquarters for campaign organizations and as centers for service men.

"The Red Cross can depend on the continuing support of Bristol Elks."

If you have a room or apartment for rent advertise it in the Courier.

BRISTOL GOES OVER BOND SALES QUOTA IN 4TH WAR LOAN

Newtown and Quakertown
Also Go Over Top
In Drive

THE COUNTY LAGS

County Chairman Keller Is
Confident Quota Will Be
Reached by March 1st

Bristol, Newtown and Quakertown have gone "over the top" in the Fourth War Loan drive, it was announced today at the offices of Hon. Hiram H. Keller, Doylestown, chairman of the drive in Bucks County.

Bristol's quota was \$927,350. The latest figures, however, from the Federal Reserve Bank, through February 15th, show Bucks County total sales as \$4,712,061, or \$742,939 short of the quota of \$5,455,000.

County Chairman Keller feels confident, however, that the quota will be reached by February 29th, the last day that sales will count on the Fourth War Loan drive.

Doylestown area has sold approximately \$690,000 and District Attorney Edward G. Biester, area chairman, is also of the opinion that this area will "go over the top" with its quota of \$823,792 before March 1st.

Sales to individuals in Bucks county through Feb. 15 amounted to \$2,911,200 or \$1,533,800 from the "individual quota." Sales of "E" bonds in Bucks county through Feb. 15 amounted to \$1,617,700 or \$664,300 from the quota.

Although the national goal of \$14,000,000,000 has more than been reached, every effort will be made by the Bucks County War Finance Committee to reach the county quota by March 1st.

Given Home Is Scene Of A Valentine Party

NEWPORTVILLE, Feb. 18.—The Cheerful Workers held a Valentine party at the home of Mrs. Raymond Given on Wednesday evening.

After a brief business meeting, a social time was enjoyed, and refreshments served at a table decorated in red. Each one present received a Valentine as a favor.

Those attending: Mrs. Harry Backhouse, Mrs. Charles Everett, Mrs. Alfred Wright, Mrs. Edith Reese, Mrs. Ella Munchback, Mrs. William Marten, Mrs. Raymond Dewees, Mrs. Fred Wimmersberger, Mrs. John Lowrie, Mrs. Clifford Ingraham.

Family Has Two Fires In The Same Day

Two fires in the same house in the same day was what was experienced by the family of Robert J. Rabea, 706 Race street, yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon the oil stove exploded, according to Mrs. Rabea, and then last evening firemen were called when fire was found eating its way up through partitions.

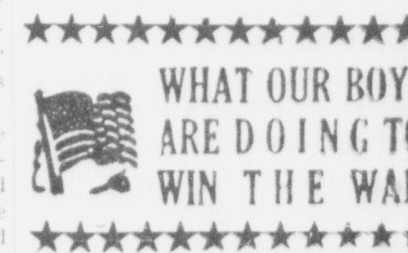
After the oil stove had exploded the family built a wood fire and it was a short time after that that firemen were called. Chief Hagerman says that the stove pipe was too far into the opening and this set fire to the woodwork of the house in between the partitions.

The loss was slight, being estimated at about \$25, but it caused the Rabea family to vacate the premises, and one member had to curtail her bath.

Isaac S. H. Jones Is Honored by Co-Workers

CROYDON, Feb. 18.—Isaac S. H. Jones was honored by 22 of his fellow members of the Provident Trust Co., Philadelphia, at a dinner served yesterday at the Midway Club, Broad and Walnut streets, Philadelphia.

The affair marked Mr. Jones' 25th anniversary with the company. He was presented with 25 American Beauty roses, and a book which those present autographed.



NAVAL TRAINING STATION

Sampson, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Blue-Jacket Joseph Donnelly, S. 2/E, 308 Buckley street, Bristol, Pa., completed his recruit training February 15, 1944, at this naval training station on the shores of Seneca Lake and was granted leave.

Upon his return to Sampson, he will be eligible for further assignment which may qualify him for a petty officer rating.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1944

RANGING THE PACIFIC

The American naval expedi-
tion to Paramushiro, the base in
the Japanese islands that was
subjected to a hard bombardment
without enemy reprisal, "empha-
sized the manner in which the
United States Fleet is ranging the
Pacific."

Since a carrier took General
Doolittle's bombers to a take-off
point a few hundred miles from
Tokyo, American task forces have
approached the Japanese shores
several times. Installations as
close to Japan as the Bonin
Islands have been shelled. There
are apparently no spots in the
Pacific to which American ships
cannot go except in the tight
region of Japan's inner fortress
bounded on the east by Truk, on
the south by Java, the west by
Singapore and on the north by
the bases around Tokyo. Japan's
land based planes at present veto
the dispatch of naval expeditions
into those waters.

But that, too, will change. The
capture or neutralization of such
bases as Truk and Rabaul will
throw open to American naval
task forces a great area extending
to the Philippines and will re-
duce Japanese-controlled waters
to the South China Sea and the
Sea of Japan. In that area the
final naval air battles with the
enemy will occur.

In the meantime, the ease with
which the Paramushiro attack
was made suggests that before
long America will have air bases
within feasible bombing range of
Tokyo and the Japanese indus-
trial cities. When this has been
accomplished, the warlords'
schemes will begin going haywire
at a more rapid rate.

UNSPILLABLE SECRET

The Japanese Domei Agency
—may its tripe decrease—recent-
ly projected an English-language
dispatch stating that "Japan is
making successful experiments on
a certain powerful element which
would instantaneously destroy the
entire British navy with a mini-
mum expenditure of energy."

The dispatch credited this Nip-
ponese brain bubble to Dr. Aiki-
su Tanakadate in course of an
address to the upper house of the
Diet, extolling the tempo of scien-
tific development being achieved
by the Japanese.

Thus is submitted a snappy
professional answer to the ques-
tion what that country—Japan—
needs. With the U. S. Navy now
even larger than the British, per-
haps Dr. Tanakadate on second
thought may reflect that his as-
surance to the Diet suffered from
understatement.

After all, no element worth its
atom should fall short of destroy-
ing the combined Allied navies
with a mere twist of the wrist of
some fine scientific Nipponese
hand.

Dr. Tanakadate may have
slipped up in tantalizing the Diet
with the prospect of an element
which would work for Japan
"with a minimum expenditure of
energy."

But the 64-yen question, just
what this devastating element is,
remains another one of those Axis
military secrets that will keep in-
definitely.

WOMAN MISSIONARY TO BRING MESSAGE

Miss Mary Craven, Mission-
ary To Africa, is To
Be Speaker

AT BENSLEM CHURCH

Miss Mary Craven, South Lang-
horne, a missionary to Africa, will
be the messenger in Benslem
Presbyterian Church on Sunday.
She will speak at a combination
service of Church and Sunday
School at 10:30 o'clock.
The Rev. Henry Cunningham is
pastor.

Croydon Lutheran Church
St. Luke's Lutheran Church,
State Road and Excelsior avenue,
Croydon, the Rev. T. Kohlmeier,
pastor (phone Bristol 7595). Ser-
vices on Sunday at 11 o'clock; Sun-
day School and Bible classes, 9:45;
junior choir, Sunday afternoon at
two; junior Walther League, at
three.

On Wednesday evening at eight
(Ash Wednesday), the first of a
series of mid-week Lenten services
will be conducted. Holy Commu-
nion will be celebrated. The sermon
topics for the mid-week Lenten
services will be grouped under the
general theme, "Prayer in the Pas-
sion History."

Hulmeville Methodist Church
The Rev. Adolph Glen Cloud,
pastor; program for Sunday, Lay-
men's Day throughout the Metho-
dist Church in the United States;
10 a. m., Church School; 11, divine
worship, the morning service will
be in charge of Kenneth Comly, lay
minister, who will also preach the
sermon; 6:45 p. m., Youth Fellow-
ship, topic, "Treasures from the
Bible," leaders, the Misses Lor-
raine and Catherine Winder; 7:30
p. m., the friendly service, service
under direction of Samuel J. Hilck,
lay leader, Mr. Hilck will bring
the evening message.

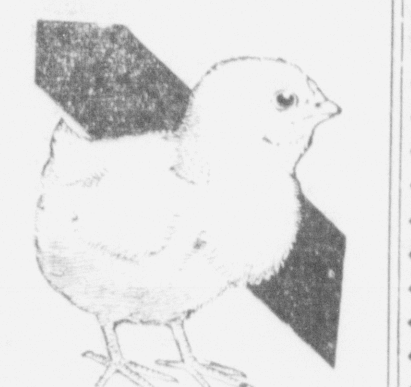
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p. m., meeting of the junior de-
partment teachers and officers of
the Church School at the home of
Mrs. Rodger Burns.

Christ Church, Eddington

Christ Episcopal Church, Bristol
Pike, Eddington, the Rev. Arthur
P. Gibson, rector; Quinquagesima
Sunday; Holy Communion, eight
a. m.; Church School and Bible
Class, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer,
11, with address by George Cragg.
Ash Wednesday, Holy Commu-
nion, eight a. m.; Thursday, St. Mat-
thias Day, Holy Communion, eight
a. m.

Andalusia Episcopal Church
Church of the Redeemer, Bristol
Pike, Andalusia, the Rev. Arthur F.
Gibson, priest-in-charge; Church
School, 10 a. m.; Holy Communion
and sermon, 11 a. m.

Thursday, library night, seven
to nine p. m.; choir rehearsal, eight
p. m.
Ash Wednesday, Holy Commu-
nion, 10 a. m.

Hulmeville P. E. Church
Grace Episcopal Church, Hulme-
ville, the Rev. Albert W. Eastburn,
vicar; Sunday, Holy Communion,
8:30 a. m.; Church School, 10 a. m.;
morning prayer, 11.
Ash Wednesday: Holy Commu-
nion, 10:30 a. m.; evening prayer,
eight o'clock.

Grace Gospel Church

Meeting in Red Men's Hall,
Bellevue avenue and Lincoln High-
way, South Langhorne, the Rev.
William J. Oxenford, pastor; Sun-
day School, 10 a. m.; morning ser-
vice, at 11 o'clock, "Shadows" will
be the theme of the meditation;
young people's meeting at seven;
junior young people's meeting also
at seven p. m., when the pastor
gives an illustrated talk for
Juniors; evening service at eight
o'clock, subject, "The First Euro-
pean Convert."

Prayer meeting, Wednesday at
eight o'clock at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Frank Tilley.

Newportville Community Church

Presbyterian
Julius E. Scheidel, minister;
Sunday School, 10 a. m., C. B.
White, superintendent; morning
worship, 11:15; Y. P. C. U. and Jr.
Fellowship, seven p. m.; evening
worship at eight.

Newport Road Community Chapel

Richard C. Cotter, Jr., pastor;
Superintendent Yoder will open
Sunday School at 10 o'clock with a
Gospel song service, "Jesus Teach-
es True Greatness" is the subject
of the lesson from Mark 9 and 10.
The Bible Class will continue study
of "The Kingdom."

Morning worship, 11 o'clock, the
pastor will bring the message,
"Union Now—With Christ."
Thursday evening, Ladies Aid.

Eddington Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Arthur D. Sargis, pas-
tor; Sunday: Morning worship will
be held in the church at 11 o'clock;
Sunday School service will start at
9:45 o'clock, the lesson to be stud-
ied is entitled "Daring To Be A
Christian," evening worship, 7:45
o'clock.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday eve-
ning at 7:45; teenage meeting, in
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a patient in the University of Penn-
sylvania Hospital, Philadelphia,
where he is under observation.

The Sunday School conducted a
party in Neshaunim Methodist
Church social hall last evening for
scholars of the primary department
and their parents. The teachers of
the department arranged the enter-
tainment, which included a variety
of games, Valentine exchange, and
serving of ice cream, cookies and
pretzels. Valentine decorations were
used. Prizes were awarded for
games; and Miss Adeline E. Reetz
showed motion pictures of a num-
ber of the children and members
of the church.

CORRY—(INS)—John Tinko, of
Corry, R. D., was back on his feet
again today after failing to get the
suspension of his driver's license

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Announcements

Deaths

JONES—At Abington, Pa., Febru-
ary 17, 1944, Anna D. (nee Allen),
wife of Milton Jones. Relatives
and friends, also Bristol Council
No. 58, Daughters of America,
are invited to the services at the
Ruehl Funeral Home, 314 Cedar
St., on Monday, at 2 o'clock. In-
terment Bristol Cemetery. Friends
may call Sunday evening.

McMAHON—At Philadelphia, Pa.,
February 17, 1944, Dennis, son of
the late John and Anna McMahon.
Relatives and friends are invited
to attend the funeral from the
William I. Murphy Estate Fun-
eral Parlor, 316 Jefferson Ave.,
on Monday at 9 a. m. High Re-
quiem Mass in St. Mark's Church
at 10 o'clock. Interment St.
Mark's Cemetery. Friends may
call Sunday evening.

POLLARD—Suddenly, at Bristol,
Pa., February 17, 1944, George,
husband of Margaret Pollard.
Relatives and friends are invited
to attend the funeral from his
late residence, 335 Barry Place,
on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment
St. Mark's Cemetery. Friends may
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LOST—Lady's wrist watch, between
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Phone 3836.

LOST—Bet. Lafayette & Radcliffe
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Young Women Pay Visit To Hospitals in Philadelphia

FALLSINGTON, Feb. 18 — The Misses Frances Monti, Frances Piazza, Ethel Clark, Dorothy Drews, Ruth Batten, "Betty" Shrieble, Rosemary Law, and Mildred Smith, students at Fallsington high school, and Mrs. John Custer, school nurse, spent Wednesday visiting Hahnemann Hospital and University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia.

The trip was arranged in order to show the students interested in nursing the functions and work of a hospital.

In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Mothersbaugh, 238 Cedar street, announce the engagement of Mrs. Mothersbaugh's daughter, Miss Alice Joyce Westgate, to Ralph John White, Radioman 3/c, U. S. N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas White, Indiana, Pa. No date has been set for the wedding.

Pvt. Anthony Perrone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Perrone, Lafayette street, is now stationed somewhere in England.

Mrs. Hugh Thompson, National City, Cal., a former resident of Bristol, spent a few days in Bristol visiting friends.

Mrs. Victor Youmans and daughter Joan, who have been spending several months with Mrs. Youmans' mother, Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Swain street, left this week for their home in Hawthorne, Cal.

Ezio Zanni, S. 2/c, returned to Charleston, S. C., after spending ten days with his mother, Mrs. Zanni, Lincoln avenue.

PFC Ernest Hellings, Niagara Falls, N. Y., week-ended with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hellings, Walnut street.

Mrs. George Barclay, Burlington, N. J., was a guest during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woolman, Locust street.

Mary D. Schreiber, S. 2/c, Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Schreiber, Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson, Buffalo, N. Y., are parents of a boy born Tuesday morning. Mr. Richardson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Richardson, Wilson avenue.

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Today's Quiet Moment

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Almighty and Eternal God, we thank Thee that Thou hast given us a revelation of Thyself in the person of Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant, O God, that we might study Him and His Word, that we might derive from Him a clear concept of Thy purpose for us. May we realize that as we have seen Him we have seen the Father. May we understand that as we do His will we are doing Thy Will. Deliver us from fear and despair and cause us to remember that those who have confessed Christ before men will also be confessed by Him before Thee. May we thus consecrate ourselves to Christ and to the great task of His Church. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Albert Zupka, Beaver street, spent the week-end at his home in Wilkes-Barre.

Mr. and Mrs. William Paulworth and family, East Circle, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilkinson, Tacony.

Mrs. Emma Colgan has moved from Roosevelt street to Langhorne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Lewis and family, who resided at Green Lane, moved to Riverside, N. J., last week.

William Sacco, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sacco, Pond street, is a patient in the Jewish Hospital, Philadelphia, receiving treatment for pneumonia.

Mrs. Howard David, Jackson street, has been ill with an attack of grippe for the past few days.

Miss Emma Zanni, who was a patient in St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J., where she was operated upon for appendicitis, returned to her home on Lincoln avenue.

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She is now confined to her home with a heavy cold.

Mrs. Michael Torano, Cedar street, has returned from the Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, where she underwent an operation.

Pvt. John Swartzenberger, who was stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C., has been transferred to Camp Pendleton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hoffman and son Arthur, and Mrs. M. Kline, Mayfair, were guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson, East Circle.

Tells Exchange Club How Tobacco is Cured

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Research Laboratories however, have developed a substitute called

apple honey, which is now being used extensively.

The Research Laboratories work is mainly concerned with the development of new products from agricultural products. From tobacco they extract nicotine which is a poison, but also they extract nicotine acid which is greatly used in medicines and is a much needed vitamin. Pectin, greatly used in surgical operations, is also a by-product.

Mr. Beinhardt stated that up to 1912 most cigarettes used in this country were of Turkish origin, and 12 billion was produced in this country. The first World War however cut off the Turkish imports and James B. Duke and R. J. Reynolds began perfecting American blends. The Salvation Army had much to do with popularizing

American cigarettes in passing out cigarettes to the men in the service. American blends are milder and lack that characteristic odor. American production of cigarettes in 1943 reached 250 billion in comparison to the 12 billion of 1912.

The importance of tobacco in the economic life of the country was emphasized through the internal revenue tax on tobacco products which in 1943 brought \$989,461,000. Mr. Beinhardt also pointed out that in the South Pacific, our troops were supplied with twist tobacco which is used by the natives as currency.

Allied Headquarters in Australia
The following are exchange rates

quoted to Yanks occupying Trobriand and Woodlark Islands, in terms of twist tobacco used by natives as currency.

20 oranges, 1 stick
50 lbs. sweet potatoes, 1 stick
40 lbs. bananas, 1 stick
40 pounds pawpaws, 1 stick
Bush pigs, each, 2 sticks
Grass skirts, each, 2 to 3 sticks
Turtles, 2 sticks
Canoes, each, 1 to 4 sticks
Walking sticks, each, 3 to 6 sticks
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Mr. Beinhardt was accorded a rising vote of thanks for his instructive and interesting account of the tobacco industry.

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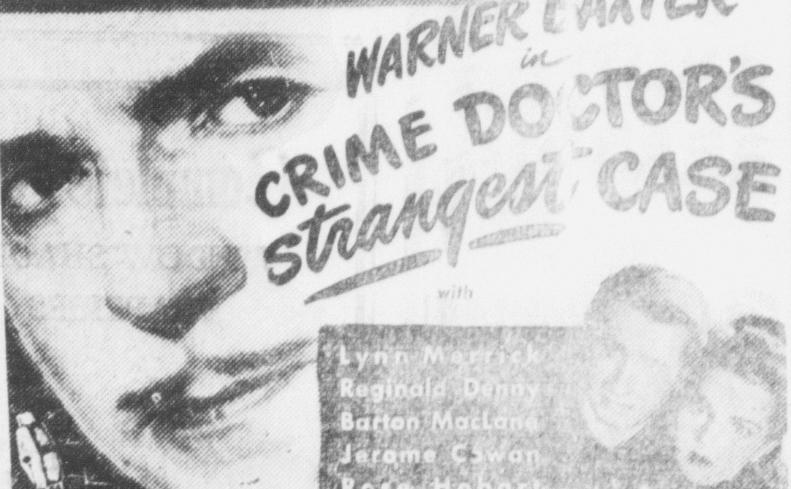
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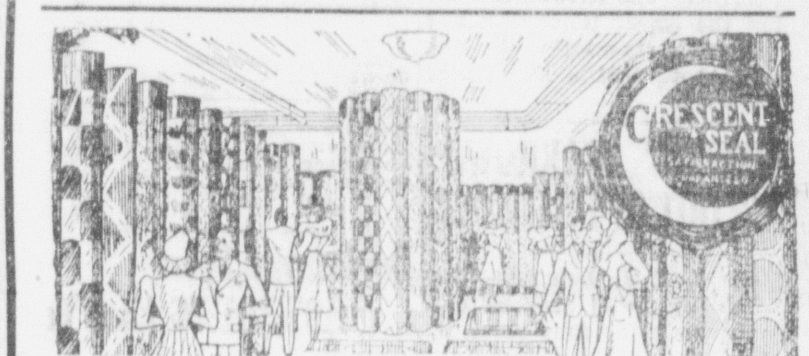
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It will be an improved Bristol High team that will take the floor against the Pennsylvania School for Deaf quintet tonight on the high school court. This game will begin at 7:30 o'clock as in the windup, the Fleetwings Arrows will play the Navy Recruiting team of Philadelphia.

Bristol snapped out of its doldrums in its last three tilts and has chalked up wins against Riverside and Bensalem. It lost an overtime contest to the Florence team last Tuesday night.

In their last meeting, P. S. D. scored a victory by a close margin over the localites and the boys of Coach Bartholomew seek to avenge the defeat. P. S. D. is sporting a fine record this season and has a high scorer in the person of Jack Christine. It was Christine's shooting which practically accounted for Bristol's defeat in their first meeting.

In the Bunnies' starting line-up will be Joe McDevitt, Reds Di-Angelo, Chuck Fisher, Joe Embessi and Tony Oriola. Both McDevitt and Oriola have improved immensely in the last three games.

This will be the final Friday night game for Bristol as it meets Trenton Catholic here Tuesday night and then closes its season by playing Morrisville on the latter's floor next Friday night.

Last Friday night, Fleetwings scored an overtime session triumph over the U. S. Marines in the season's thriller. The Arrows are out to stop the Naval Recruiting five and will use as its starting line-up: Demm, Abbott, Smith, DesLaurier and Delevich.

FLEETWINGS SPARROWS
DROP OUT OF DEADLOCK

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 18.—The Fleetwings Sparrows dropped out of the deadlock for first place in the Trenton Girls' League, by losing to the Cathedral Alumnae, 29-19, on the Junior High No. 4 floor.

The Sparrows could not stop the shooting of Nolan and Burns for

SPORTSMEN'S
BRIEFS

By JOE ELBERSON



Trapshooting event... the first in many months in this section is scheduled for Sunday afternoon, February 27th, at the traps of the Langhorne Rod & Gun Club.

It seems one of the Langhorne members discovered a thousand shells—500 trap and 500 skeet—and so several local clubs have been invited to send teams for the shooting contest. The Bristol and Edgely clubs will no doubt have delegations on hand for the event.

Fishing tackle notes... It's about time to begin cleaning up your tackle if you're one of those fellows who throws it in a corner at the end of the season. And don't discard any item that can possibly be salvaged and repaired. Reports indicate that there will be little fresh water tackle in sporting goods stores this season.

1944 committees of the Bristol Fish & Game Protective Association... Fish Committee: Ollie Hobbs, Joseph Smith, Jack Gavegan, Patrick McGee, George Ewing and Edward Bonfrancesco. Game Committee: William Bossler, Nicholas Taugner, Al Purvin, Harvey Cochran, James Jackson and Howard Black. Trap Committee: Harry Ratcliffe, Nunzio Rubino, J. S. Lynn, Henry Neindorff and Elmer Yorty, Sr. Refreshment Committee: Harry Bossler, William Brown, Peter Cattani and William H. Thompson. County Federation delegates: Maurice Delker, John C. Johnson, Nunzio Rubino, C. Donald Moyer and Howard Black.

First fishing trip of 1944... Joe Smith, Locust street, one of Bristol's most ardent and enthusiastic anglers, was out last week in the Neshaminy for suckers. Score: none. Probably just a little too early.

Date to remember: February 21... next meeting of the Edgely Rod & Gun Club in the Headley Manor Fire House at 8 P. M.

Cleaning spoons... when you come to these lures in your tackle box and find them dull looking they can usually be brightened by using a solution of salt and vinegar.

the Trenton girls. These lassies scored twenty-five points between them. Betty Duffy and Eleanor Hughes scored all of Fleetwings' points.

The Sparrows were playing without the services of their high-scoring forwards, Juanita Hayes and Ethel Linck who were on the sick list.

Fleetwings' opponents for next week are the Majorettes, the first half winners of the circuit.

Fleetwings	Girls	Points	Field Goals	Free Throws	Total
Duffy	1	2	3	15	20
Hughes	1	0	0	6	6
Swinehart	1	0	0	0	0
DeGregorio	1	0	0	0	0
Sak	1	0	0	0	0
Elcenko	1	0	0	0	0
Marrazzo	1	0	0	0	0
	8	3	19		

Cathedral Alumnae	Girls	Points	Field Goals	Free Throws	Total
Cassan	1	1	2		3
Kelly	1	0	1	1	2
Nolan	1	7	1	15	23
Burns	1	2	4	19	25
Morrison	1	0	0	0	0
Mulhausen	1	0	0	0	0
Porter	1	0	0	0	0
	11	7	29		

Doylestown Spent
\$95,101.76 Last Year

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Items: W. O. Weisel, building inspector salary, \$600; commission on foreign fire insurance, \$979.87; Doylestown Chamber of Commerce

department headed by Councilman George E. Willard.

Sewer department expenditures amounted to \$13,116.12 and a profit of \$2,771.42 was turned over to the borough. This department is headed by Councilman Frank D. Good. Receipts included rents of \$15,669.25; delinquent rents of \$268.29; sewer connections, \$8; and sewer permits, \$2, or a total of \$15,887.54. The time roll for labor in sewer department amounted to \$5,108.70, while the salary of W. O. Weisel as superintendent was \$600. Chlorine cost \$731.32 and insurance an additional \$333.10. Light and power

cost \$808.22 and pipe and additional, \$372.28.

The financial statement was examined and approved by Councilmen Joseph F. Worstell, George E.

Willard and G. Thawley Hayman, members of the finance committee and audited by J. Kirk Leatherman, Charles A. Liebig and James E. Groff.

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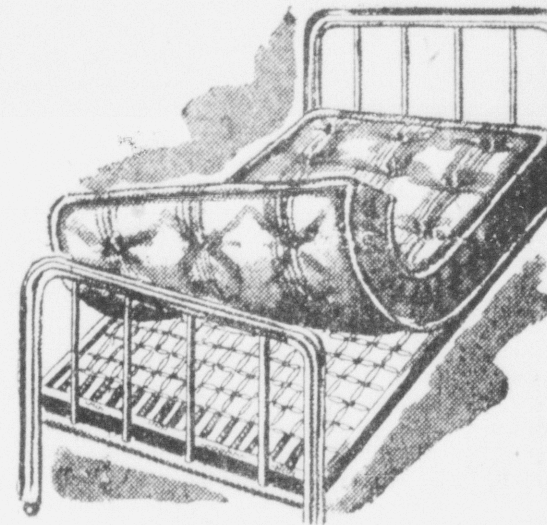
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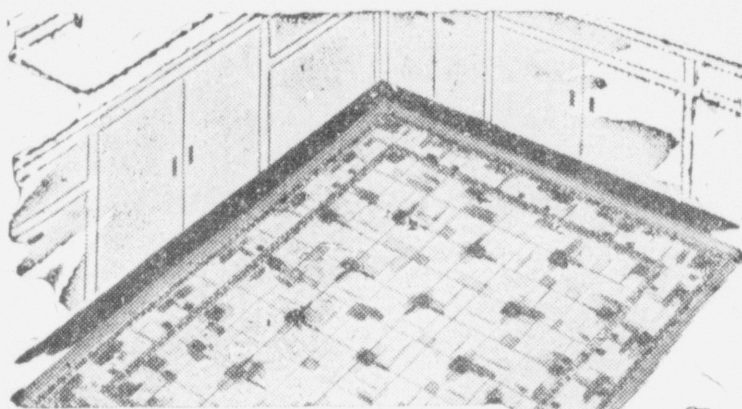
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